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SUBJECT: GENERAL - Hungarians in Colombia
SPECIFIC - Ferenc VAJTA
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1. The subject is now employed by the weekly magazine Semana, the principal owner of which is Mario LASERNA, wealthy Colombian who has studied at Princeton University and who has been one of the principal benefactors of the Universidad de los Andes. VAJTA writes all of the international section, as well as some other parts of the magazine. He contributed a total of eight pages in the current issue and for this work he receives 150 pesos weekly.

2. During the last two months of 1952 he was also employed in a teaching capacity by the Normal School in Bogotá. However, he states that he does not expect to continue working there during the present year, because of differences which have arisen between him and the school's directors concerning teaching methods. VAJTA is still a professor of social sciences at the Universidad de los Andes. The income from that job, together with the money he now receives from Semana, is adequate for his needs.

3. The subject has stated that he plans on making another application for entrance into the United States, probably later in 1953.

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